



Environmental Fact Sheet

Electronic Access to OSW

The Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Office of Solid Waste (OSW) provides a wide variety of information about hazardous and nonhazardous waste on the Internet and on certain bulletin board systems (BBSs). Products available to the public include consumer information, policy and guidance documents, hazardous waste databases, and supporting materials for rules.

Accessing OSW and Other EPA Information

<p style="text-align: center;">OSW</p> <p><i>World Wide Web (WWW):</i></p> <p>http://www.epa.gov/osw OSW documents are under: epa.gov/osw/publicat.htm</p> <p>Selected OSW publications are under: ftp.epa.gov/pub/epaoswer Login: Anonymous Password: Use your e-mail address</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Federal Register (FR) Notices</i></p> <p>The OSW directory usually contains only the background information related to FR notices. The actual notices are arranged by date, from October 1994, and are found at: http://www.epa.gov/EPA-WASTE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Agency-wide Information</p> <p>All EPA material is available at: http://www.epa.gov/epahome. Some OSW documents are under "Publications."</p>
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Accessing OSW's RCRA Information Center (RIC)

All OSW publications are available from the RIC. Use Internet e-mail to order paper copies of documents, which are listed in *The Catalog of Hazardous and Solid Waste Publications*. The *Catalog* is available on line under the OSW directory. Document orders should include the requestor's name and mailing address. Address orders to: rcra-docket@epamail.epa.gov.

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Accessing Electronic Mailing Lists (Listservers)

To receive a list of all EPA listservers, send an e-mail request to: **listserver@unixmail.rtpnc.epa.gov**. The message should read: **LISTS**.

To subscribe to a mailing list, send an e-mail request to: **listserver@unixmail.rtpnc.epa.gov**. The message should read: **SUBSCRIBE**<list name><first name><last name>
(for example, **SUBSCRIBE EPA-WASTE JOHN SMITH**)

EPA Listservers that Distribute OSW-Related Information	
HOTLINE_OSWER (Note: underscore, not hyphen)	RCRA, Superfund, and EPCRA Monthly Hotline Reports and Updates
REUSABLE-NEWS	Reusable News Newsletter
EPA-PRESS	EPA Press Releases and Related Announcements
EPA-WASTE	Federal Register Notices
EPA-MEETINGS	All Meeting Notices
EPA-GENERAL	General Environmental and Agency Interests

Accessing Agency Bulletin Board Systems (BBS)

BBS Name	Access	System Operator
FedWorld (National Technical Information Service)	(703) 321-3339 fedworld.gov http://www.fedworld.gov ftp.fedworld.gov	(703) 487-4608
Envirosense	(703) 908-2092 http://es.inel.gov	(703) 908-2007 (pc) (208) 526-6956 (internet)
CLU-IN BBS (Cleanup Information)	(301) 589-8366 clu-in.epa.gov or http://clu-in.com ftp.clu-in.com	(301) 589-8368
RTK-NET BBS Right-to-Know Computer Network	(202) 234-8570 rtknet.org (userid: public) http://rtk.net	(202) 234-8494 (requires an account for access)

More Information

For additional information, call the RCRA Hotline. Callers within the Washington Metropolitan Area must dial 703-412-9810 or TDD 703-412-3323 (hearing impaired). Long-distance callers may call 1-800-424-9346 or TDD 1-800-553-7672. The RCRA Hotline is open Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Eastern Time.